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### EMBARKATION OF TROOPS.

Mobile, Ala., June 1.—The inactivity is at last broken. The second of the fourth army corps are ready for embarkation. The whole of the troops concentrated here look for the order "on to Cuba" at any hour.

Within twenty-four hours the Fifth cavalry will embark on transports and their objective point will be, according to the men of the regiment, Porto Rico.

Officers still maintain the strictest secrecy regarding the destination of the troops.

During last night greater activity prevailed in the quartermaster's department, and immense loads of supplies are ready for shipment as a result.

Monday night the Mattewman, the largest transport out of the six now in port, sailed in a hurry and moved her berth to the wharf, where passenger embarkation usually takes place. She is fitted up for infantry only.

When the Dupont came in Monday it was given out that the fast torpedo boat needed repairs, but an inspection of the vessel in dry dock did not disclose any material damage, and it is almost a certainty that she is here really for the purpose of assisting in conveying the troops to Cuba. This is given color by the fact that the Dupont was not alone up to the time she arrived off Sand Island Light.

Two large vessels were seen cruising around the outside after the Dupont came into the bay and an investigation by a tug boat captain discovered them to be gunboats.

### COIN FOR PATRIOTS.

Washington, June 1.—Paymaster General Stanton, of the army, authorizes a specific denial of the reported negotiations for the acquisition of large numbers of Mexican dollars for the payment of troops sent to the Philippines.

The report that this was contemplated probably arose from the fact that such a suggestion had been made to the war department.

The paymaster general asserts that there is no desire on the part of the government to pay its soldiers in depreciated coin, but that they will be paid in gold and silver of the United States.

### FRIENDS ACROSS THE SEA.

Washington, June 1.—Ambassador Hay informs the state department the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the Churchmen's union of England May 11:

Resolved, That this meeting of liberal churchmen extends its fullest sympathy to the president and citizens of the United States in their effort to secure good government in Cuba and trusts that in future years the ties of brotherhood between America and Great Britain will be strengthened.

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## Schley Meets the Enemy Under the Guns of Santiago.

Silenced the Guns of Morro Castle and Did Great Damage to Other Harbor Fortifications.

### THE ST. PAUL MAKES A VALUABLE CATCH.

Reported to Have Taken the Alphonso XIII. A Spanish Cruiser Said to Have Been Sunk By the Battleship Texas.

### TROOPS RAPIDLY EMBARKING TODAY AT KEY WEST.

Seventy Thousand Troops Will Be Sent to Cuba as Soon as They Can Be Transported—So Alger Officially Informs Congress—Twenty Thousand to Go There at Once.

### HAWAII MAY BE ANNEXED.

The Charleston May Seize It For a Coaling Station.

### EX-CONFEDERATE DISABILITY.

Congressman—Settle's Great Speech in Congress Today. Spoke For a United Nation.

### REPORTS OF BATTLE UNCERTAIN.

Nearly All the News Comes From Spanish Sources and Has Not Been Fully Confirmed.

### SCHLEY HAS CERTAINLY WON A VICTORY.

Cape Haytien, June 1.—Official reports of the battle of Santiago say that Schley silenced three forts, including Morro Castle, and that he did great damage. The American squadron withdrew, however, when the Spanish ironclads injured the auxiliary cruiser St. Paul, which lead the fight in the mouth of the harbor while the American ironclads bombarded the forts.

The Americans lost few or no lives.

Kington, Jamaica, June 1.—Advices from Havana last night state that Commander Schley attacked the fortifications at Santiago at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The cannonading was terrific, but the result is unknown.

These advices which are all of Spanish origin admit that Schley forced the harbor and leveled the Punta Gorda forts which are opposite Morro Castle.

Schley's fleet was the target of a terrific fire from the forts, which was answered by the American fleet with tremendous effect.

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### A BIG CAPTURE.

Key West, June 1.—It is reported here today that the auxiliary cruiser St. Paul has captured the Spanish ship Alfonso XIII after an hour's hard fighting.

The Alfonso will be the best prize of the war.

### MAY SEIZE HAWAII.

Washington, June 1.—It is said here today that the Charleston has

been ordered to seize Hawaii as a coaling station as she arrives at Honolulu. The Charleston was the first ship to sail with supplies and reinforcements for Admiral Dewey. She was due at Honolulu the first of this week, and if the report be true the stars and stripes now float over the city of Honolulu.

### TROOPS FOR CUBA.

Washington, June 1.—Secretary of War Alger today notified congress officially that 20,000 troops would go to Cuba at once to be followed by 50,000 more just as soon as they could be transported.

### SPANISH REPORTS.

New York, June 1.—Spanish reports from Havana say that Schley did no damage in the bombardment of the Santiago forts yesterday.

### SPAIN EXCITED.

Madrid, June 1.—In spite of the fact that the Spanish claim the battle yesterday at Santiago resulted in a Spanish victory, Spain is nevertheless greatly excited over the news.

Great fears are expressed in official circles that mobs and riots may be the result.

If it should turn out that a big American victory has been won, the gravest results are feared from the populace.

Spain is upon the verge of a revolution, which seems to be put off from day to day, but a crushing Spanish defeat will hasten the crisis.

### SETTLE'S GREAT SPEECH.

Washington, June 1.—Congressman Settle today made a brilliant speech in the house favoring the removal of the disability of all ex-confederates. He spoke for a united country.

There was not a dry eye in congress, and the applause was deafening.

### OLLIE JAMES QUILTS.

Withdraws From the Race For Congress in the First District.

Narion, Ky., June 1.—To the surprise of his friends, Ollie James yesterday issued a card withdrawing from the race for the democratic nomination for congress in the First congressional district. He assigns as the reason for his retirement that he does not wish to jeopardize party success by the bitterness and discord

### SPANISH CRUISER SUNK.

London, June 1.—Our cable from Havana today says that the battleship Texas sunk a Spanish cruiser in Santiago bay, but no particulars are given.

### WHERE ARE THEY GOING?

Washington, June 1.—Gen. Miles wires that the soldiers are embarking at Tampa as rapidly as inspected.

### EXPOSITION OPENED.

Omaha, Neb., June 1.—The Trans-Mississippi Exposition was formally opened today with imposing ceremonies. Large crowds were present and the opening parade was the greatest event of the kind in Omaha's history.

### THE MANILA EXPEDITION.

Washington, June 1.—Immediately on the arrival of Maj. Gen. Merritt at Manila he will set about defeating the Spanish army in the Philippines, and then he will put into operation a system for collecting revenues which will be recommended to the president in a few days. It is to be operated by army and navy officers under the joint direction of Maj. Gen. Merritt and Rear Admiral Dewey.

Maj. Gen. Merritt will take two additional regiments of the regular army on the next expedition to the Philippines—the Third artillery and the Fifteenth infantry. Sixty engineers will also take 480 submarine wires for use in the harbor. The Zealander will be ready to sail this week and the China and Colon next week.

### BRAVE TORPEDO BOATS.

Jamaica, June 1.—The first engagement between Commodore Schley and the Spanish fleet commanded by Admiral Cervera took place Monday night.

Two torpedo boat destroyers, about midnight slipped quietly out of the harbor bent on mischief. They crept along in the shadow of old Castle Morro and the mountain for two miles to the westward before they were discovered by the lookout on the Texas.

An instant after the lookout gave the alarm the white stream of the Texas' searchlight flashed along the shadow under the mountain, revealing the desperate game of the imprisoned Spaniards.

The torpedo-boat destroyers, when they saw that they had been discovered, dashed toward the Texas, close beside it, was lying inshore.

The Texas promptly opened fire with her six-pounders and was soon joined by the Brooklyn when the torpedo boats turned and ran back to the harbor.

### PEACE DISCUSSED IN MADRID.

Madrid, June 1.—The Globe, which has been advocating peace, is replied to by the Herald and Imparcial, both of which papers say that peace is desirable, but it can not be purchased by sacrifices which would change an international into a civil war.

There was a run on the Bank of Spain Saturday for the purpose of changing notes into silver. The council of the bank appealed to the minister of finance, hence the proposed bill to stop the exportation of silver.

The silver specie held by the Bank of Spain has decreased from 256,000,000 pesetas at the end of March, to 108,000,000 today. This is owing to the heavy withdrawals made by public bankers and money changers.

### YESTERDAY'S BATTLES.

The reports of the battle that took place yesterday at Santiago are very meagre.

It seems that Schley entered the bay and silenced the Spanish forts, but it is not clear whether he attempted more than to silence the forts preparatory to a battle with the fleet later.

It is said a Spanish cruiser was sunk and the Alfonso XIII was captured by the St. Paul.

This, however, is not confirmed. The reports all come from Spanish sources, except from Cape Haytien, which may have had a report from Schley, though this is very improbable.

It is evident, however, that Schley has struck an important blow towards the capture of Santiago and the Spanish fleet.

The Washington dispatches yesterday indicate that the government did not expect a battle so soon, but at the same time it is known that Commander Schley had orders to use his own judgment in making the attack. Schley had been advised to counter-mine the entrance to the harbor if possible, and thus destroy the Spanish mines. He may have done this or he may have learned that the harbor was not mined.

If this report be true, and Schley has run the harbor under the guns of Morro Castle, he has out-deweyed Dewey.

The Spanish fleet is inferior to Schley's squadron, but it is well supplied with heavy guns, though but one of the ships is steel clad.

The Spanish ships are better fitted for offensive work than for resisting the fire of our big guns.

### SANTIAGO HARBOR.

It is known that Schley has in his squadron the battleships Iowa, Massachusetts and Texas, the cruisers Brooklyn and Marblehead, two gunboats, and one or two auxiliary cruisers. Probably his squadron has been strengthened by the addition of other ships within the past 36 hours.

His ships are superior to those of the Spanish fleet. Only four of Cervera's ships are rated first class—the Vizcaya, Quintero, Christobal Colon and Maria Teresa—and it is believed that they are not in good fighting trim. The guns of Schley's squadron are heavier than the Spaniards.

Dr. Hyatt, was the United consul at Santiago, returned to this country a few days ago. He says that, in spite of the elevation of the land at the mouth of the harbor of Santiago, the ships of Schley's squadron will be able, after reducing Morro castle, to throw bombs overland and drop them on the Spanish fleet at anchor in the basin before the town, four miles as the bird flies from the sea.

The water off the port of Santiago is so deep it cannot be mined. Ships of the greatest draft may sail close in under the shore.

If the right elevation can be had with Schley's guns the old fortress will be blown into a cloud of ancient dust in a very short time.

It was built in 1634, and its modern improvements are few. Even its guns, according to Consul Hyatt, are of the old style, with the smooth bores.

Other new and more formidable batteries may have been planted in neighborhood of the harbor mouth since Dr. Hyatt left Cuba, for at that time, he says, surveys had not been completed for them. He doubts, however, if many heavy guns were at hand to mount on the new batteries.

The only railroad running out of Santiago, except two short roads owned by mining companies, goes to San Luis, 25 miles out in the country. Beyond that there is an impassable range of mountains.

WANTED—A good salesman to sell the Superior washer, at 819 Adams street.

## STRIKERS IN CAMP.

They Have Given the Colored Laborers Until Today to Leave—Much Excitement There.

Nearly One Thousand Miners at Cartersville, Ill.—Clash Expected at Any Time and Serious Trouble Is Probable.

The impending clash between striking miners and negro miners at Cartersville, Ill., has not yet occurred, but is likely to at any moment. The St. Louis passenger train which arrived this morning, had no difficulty, although the conductor expected to be overhauled by miners. Advice today are that there are between 800 and 1000 striking miners in and around Cartersville and have gone on record as saying that the colored miners imported from Tennessee to work the Big Muddy mines must quit work by tomorrow or "take the consequences." What they mean by "take the consequences" they will not say in plain words.

A clash between the strikers and workers is likely to take place at any time. General Bradley, of Coffeeville, who led the strikers at Belleville last August, telegraphed some of his friends last night that he would arrive there in a day or two.

The strikers are very bitter against General Manager Brush, of the Big Muddy mine. Many of the men who have quit work are Americans and are much more dangerous as adversaries than the foreigners who usually threaten during coal strikes.

They resent the filling of their places by colored men for one thing, and while they are far easier to reason with than the foreigners, they are more explicit and determined in their demands.

The negro miners are armed with Winchester rifles and are corralled near the mines, about a mile from town.

The strikers who come from around Cartersville slept last night in any place they could find that offered shelter. The Cartersville miners who had spare room took in as many as their houses would hold.

In a large hall over Thompson's saloon many of the men sleep. The strikers claim they have arms of no kind. The sheriff and a posse of 500 men are guarding the miners. Secretary Brush refuses to see any committees from the ranks of the strikers.

W. T. Morris, of Duquoin, member of the state executive board of the Illinois mine workers' organization, is there now, and as the day grows on his influence can be seen at work among the miners for a peaceful settlement of the trouble.

He does not anticipate a collision between strikers and the men at work and says there will be no difficulty if some of Manager Brush's men do not carry out a threat to fire upon the strikers at the first chance. Morris says that Brush is now working at a bigger expense than if he were paying the scale demanded of him, and that he will soon see that the best thing for him to do is to get rid of the Tennessee men and take back his old hands.

A federal injunction is standing against Morris, restraining him from assembling and addressing crowds upon the highways of Illinois, but he says that he is confident that if he had access to and could address the men now in the Big Muddy shaft he could win them over to his side of the controversy, but it is impossible to see the men at work. The shaft is patrolled and the strikers do not visit the town. The town is full of saloons, but there is no drinking going on. Several hundred strikers are idling in the Main street, but all are good-natured, and no attempt is made to disperse them by the village officials. A crowd of other miners, or, as the strikers refer to them, "new troops," arrived yesterday afternoon from Duquoin.

### FIGHTING BOB'S SISTER.

Bloomington, Ill., June 1.—Mrs. William H. Patterson, a leader of Bloomington's upper circles, has been selected as queen of the feast of flowers, which today will open the festival program of the June carnival.

Mrs. Patterson is a sister of Capt. Robley Evans, "Fighting Bob," of the United States navy, commanding the battleship Iowa.

As maids of honor to the flower queen have been selected Mrs. Catherine Rhinehart, Miss Prince and Miss Idelle Kerriek, two of the city's loveliest young ladies.

### STEAMER ASHORE AT CUBA.

New York, June 1.—Capt. Nickerson, of the steamer City of Kingston, which arrived yesterday from

Jamaica, reports that while off Cape May, on the east end of Cuba, May 29, he sighted a steamer ashore, pounding heavily. The weather was very thick and squally.

The vessel ashore was probably the steamer Belvidere, from Jamaica for Boston. Vice President Capote, of the Cuban republic, was a passenger. The fate of those on board the steamer is unknown.

### WILL BE FOR ANNEXATION.

Washington, June 1.—Mr. Grosvenor, chairman of the house republican caucus, will call a caucus within the next few days to take action upon the joint resolution for the annexation of Hawaii.

Several republicans said this morning that the caucus would undoubtedly commit the party annexation.

They admitted, however, that quite a number would decline to attend or be bound by its action if they should attend.

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## THE FLAG GOES BY.



By Henry Holcomb Bennett.  
Hats off!  
Along the street there comes  
A blare of bugles, a rattle of drums,  
A flash of color beneath the sky.  
Hats off!  
The flag is passing by.  
Blue and crimson and white it shines  
Over the steel-tipped, ordered lines.  
Hats off!  
The colors before us fly,  
But more than the flag is passing by.  
Sea fights and land fights, grim and great,  
Fought to make and to save the state;  
Weary marches and sinking ships;  
Cheers of victory on dying lips.  
Days of plenty and years of peace;  
March of a strong land's swift increase;  
Equal justice, right and law,  
Stately honor and reverend awe;  
Sign of nation, great and strong,  
To ward her people from foreign wrong;  
Pride and glory and honor, all  
Live in the colors to stand or fall.  
Hats off!  
Along the street there comes  
A blare of bugles, a rattle of drums;  
And loyal hearts are beating high:  
Hats off!  
The flag is passing by!  
—Youths' Companion.

## A WAR POET.

Rev. Gilbert Dobbs, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church here, has developed into quite a war poet. He is now pastor of the Franklin, Va., Baptist church, and the following are from his gifted pen:

Immortal Dewey—foremost of the brave,  
That ever sailed the sea 'neath the flag,  
Thy calm self-poise alien to noisy brag,  
The war-tossed spray of far Manila's wave,  
Paid incense to thy glory—the Spanish grave!  
Thy thundering guns crimsoned the yellow flag,  
Their echoes breaking o'er the distant coast.  
The voice of freedom to the Eastern Slave,  
The Orient fires of that early May morn,  
The God of war kindled to the deathless flame  
Of him, upon the altar of whose heart  
Burned hotter love for country's flag and name,  
And of those Styx-washed heroes, whose brave part  
It was to glorify the land of the free-born.

## GILBERT DOBBS.

## ON TO THE FRAY.

Dedicated to Franklin D. Roosevelt.  
On to the fray, boys, on to the fray,  
Away, away,  
Where southward boom the Spanish guns  
From castled heights, and Southland's sons  
Are bleeding neth the pitiless rain  
Of shot and shell, on bay and main.  
On to the fray!  
Remember the Maine!  
Remember the slain!  
And on to the fray, boys, on to the fray.  
On to the fray, boys, on to the fray!  
Care not to stay!  
Reck how the great Almighty Eye  
Ne'er sleeps, but vigil keeps, on high,  
O'er heroes brave, that dare to die  
For suffering humanity.  
On to the fray!  
Remember the name—  
WORTH BAGLEY—and fame!  
And on to the fray, boys, on to the fray!  
On to the fray, boys, on to the fray!  
The dawn of day,  
Of freedom, in yet a little while  
Shall redder o'er the Crescent Isle,  
Fresh glory for the Stripes and Stars,  
Descending from the god of wars.  
On to the fray;  
Be true to your God,  
Be true to your blood!  
And on to the fray, boys, on to the fray!

## GILBERT DOBBS.

**NEW BAGGAGE CHECKS.**  
New checks are now used in the baggage department of this division of the Illinois Central. They are big flat brass checks, and are not considered equal to the old checks, which were known as "shell" checks, by a good many travelers, except that they are more substantial.

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**MEDICAL SOCIETY.**  
The Paducah Medical and Surgical society meets tonight with Dr. W. M. Cowgill on Broadway. The subject to be discussed is "Aortic Aneurism," or enlargement of the arteries. The recent case of Mr. Gus Vance, who was stricken at a wagon yard here, and died, will be discussed, and an interesting meeting is anticipated.

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## ONE VAST REPUBLIC.

A Startling Suggestion by the Retiring Minister From Brazil as to This Hemisphere.

Senhor Mendonca, in a Speech to the President, Expresses the Hope That All America May Unite in One Federation.

Washington, June 1.—Senhor Salvador de Mendonca, who had represented Brazil in Washington in the capacity of minister since 1881, some days ago presented his letter of recall, preparatory to being transferred to Lisbon, Portugal. The ceremony, which is usually little more than an idle form, was in this case remarkable from the magnificent tribute paid to our great republic by Senhor Mendonca, who, having occupied the post of consul general of Brazil at New York for many years preceding his accession to the ministry, has had more abundant opportunity for just criticism than falls to the lot of most diplomatic representatives.

The minister said: "Mr. president, hoping that your excellency may concur in the belief expressed by my government that I have, in fulfillment of its instructions, discharged the duties of my mission in an agreeable manner to your government, and adding to the expression of the best wishes of the president of Brazil for your happiness and for the prosperity of your country, my personal good wishes, I might consider closed my official address."

"But friends do not part in the solemn hour in which the Nation is called to arms, with diplomatic forms merely. Moreover, my debt of gratitude to your people and government for the treatment which I have received at your hands during a residence of almost a quarter of a century, is so great that I can not take my leave without expressing to the first citizen of this mighty republic my heartfelt appreciation of your benevolence toward a student of your institutions and an admirer of the high character of your Nation."

"Opening your country since the Colonial times as a land of refugees, establishing your commonwealth on the solid foundation of the freedom of conscience; giving to the world the principles of the Declaration of Independence; affirming by the abolition of slavery, that this continent was thenceforth consecrated to liberty, your people has come to the front rank as a powerful factor of modern civilization. Fearless before the strong, magnanimous toward the feeble, deeply convinced that justice and right are the corner stones of the state, and fairness the measure of international dealings, industrious, intelligent, law-abiding and peace-loving, your nation can well be proud of its achievements, and no one has had a better opportunity than I to satisfy myself, by a careful observation of men and laws, of your steady advancement and progress."

"I have seen your country in its days of joy and sorrow. I saw, at the celebration of the centenary of your independence, the pastmaster in the art of war open the great fair of the arts of peace and reveal to the world the double greatness of the nation which, in ten years, had transformed swords and guns into implements of industry. I saw the great hero lead to rest in the heart of your great metropolis, amid the mourning of the whole land, and witness his apotheosis celebrated by the voice of the entire union. I saw the chief magistrate of the nation felled by an assassin's hand, and observed the republic continue firm and serene under the empire of the law. In its joy or sorrow the nation did not depart a moment from the confidence in its high destiny."

"I have visited the different regions of your broad land; I know the active men of the East, the open hearted inhabitants of the West and the chivalrous Southerner; it has been my fortune to meet the statesman, the scientist, the artist, the manufacturer, the farmer and the workman. Their common ideal is the honor and greatness of their country."

"I have trod the modest paths of the land which lead to sacred places: Mr. Vernon, where the founder lies; Holywood, where Monroe rests; Oak Hill where Blaine reposes. I have listened to the voices of the wind passing through the branches of the oaks, which cast their shade over their tombs, and learned the secret of your greatness. May yours be an inspiring example to the whole continent."

"It has been my aspiration before leaving your country to sit again at a table around which all the American republics would re-enact, on a more solid basis, the agreement outlined by the unratified treaty of April 28, 1880, distributing the responsibilities of the policy of Monroe, by members of the compact, as it is due to their sovereign character. Blessed be the day which shall witness the meeting of such a congress, the first step to the establishment of an American ideal, a high court of international affairs of our continent."

"Whenever the duty to my beloved country will call me, I can assure you that my heart and sympathy will be with you noble people and with the standard bearer of the republican America, who is advancing the outposts of human freedom into the last intricacies of the past."

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Saturday morning about 9 o'clock  
there will be at the high school build-  
ing a number of bright, ambitious  
young men from various portions of  
the First congressional district. They  
will be there to stand an examination  
for the appointment to a cadetship to  
West Point. The young man receiving  
the best per cent. will be appointed  
by Congressman Wheeler.

There are at present but two young  
men of Paducah who will enter the  
contest. These are Mr. J. Henry  
Orme, and Mr. James Caldwell. The  
latter is now at the state military col-  
lege at Lexington, and will be home  
in a day or two. Mr. Dick Scott is  
mentioned as a probable applicant.

As to the others, it is unknown  
how many there will be, as there are  
two examiners besides Supt. Gen.  
O. McCoom, of the Paducah public  
schools. Some of the young men  
who have signified their intention to  
be here at the examination, however,  
are: Thomas Jennings, of Bardwell,  
and a young man named Robison, of  
Graves county.

As has been stated, no one but the  
sons of Bryan democrats will be eli-  
gible to the contest, in pursuance of  
instructions from Congressman Wheeler.

Lexington, June 1.—The Third  
regiment left this afternoon at 4  
o'clock via the Cincinnati Southern  
for Chickamauga.

Col. Smith made final arrange-  
ments with Col. Murphy yesterday  
afternoon, as that road had the con-  
tract. The first section consisted of  
one horse car, one baggage car, one  
sleeper and fourteen coaches.

The second section left fifteen min-  
utes after this and consisted of three  
baggage cars, fourteen coaches and  
two Pullman sleepers. The trains  
will arrive at Chickamauga at day-  
light. The Third regiment has been  
located, and it is just eight miles  
from the station to the camp where  
they will pitch their tents. The  
whole distance is filled with sol-  
diers.

Camp Bradley, Lexington, Ky.,  
June 1.—Washington is the destina-  
tion of the First regiment. This has  
not been officially announced, but  
it comes from a source which can hard-  
ly be doubted. The legion boys  
would have preferred a Southern  
assignment.

Gov. Bradley has received from  
Adj. Gen. Corbin ordering that the  
Kentucky regiments be recruited to  
103 enlisted men to a company. This  
will not detain the First and Third  
regiments at Lexington after they are  
mustered in, it is said, but the ad-  
ditional recruits will be sent on to  
whatever places the regiments have  
been ordered. It is understood that  
this order will necessitate a third  
hundred to each company. There  
is likely to be a lively scramble for  
these places.

Frankfort, Ky., June 1.—Capt.  
Ballance, U. S. A., mustering officer  
for Kentucky, came here yesterday  
in company with Adj. Gen. Collier,  
and the two were closeted with the  
governor most of the forenoon. Their  
rumored business has to do with  
a still further protest against the  
order of Secretary Ayer limiting  
Kentucky to four big regiments in-  
stead of five smaller ones.

Capt. Ballance said, after leaving  
Gov. Bradley's office: "It will be  
very difficult to recruit companies to  
106 men. I don't know whether  
there will be a change in the present  
orders. The mustering of the First  
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## WEST POINT EXAMINATION.

It will be held Saturday of  
This Week at the High  
School Building,  
This City.

There Will Be at Least Two Com-  
petitors From Paducah—Sev-  
eral Others May Enter  
the Competition

Saturday morning about 9 o'clock  
there will be at the high school build-  
ing a number of bright, ambitious  
young men from various portions of  
the First congressional district. They  
will be there to stand an examination  
for the appointment to a cadetship to  
West Point. The young man receiving  
the best per cent. will be appointed  
by Congressman Wheeler.

There are at present but two young  
men of Paducah who will enter the  
contest. These are Mr. J. Henry  
Orme, and Mr. James Caldwell. The  
latter is now at the state military col-  
lege at Lexington, and will be home  
in a day or two. Mr. Dick Scott is  
mentioned as a probable applicant.

As to the others, it is unknown  
how many there will be, as there are  
two examiners besides Supt. Gen.  
O. McCoom, of the Paducah public  
schools. Some of the young men  
who have signified their intention to  
be here at the examination, however,  
are: Thomas Jennings, of Bardwell,  
and a young man named Robison, of  
Graves county.



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The advantage of buying at the Bazaar was never more apparent than now. The war prices demanded elsewhere make the low prices we quote especially inviting.

Special attention invited to our separate skirt department. The largest and most complete line in the city, including new fancy work effects, serges, home-spun, mohair, linen, duck, crash and pique, perfect in shape and hang.

300 new mohair skirts, 7 gore, well lined, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75; sale price, \$1.

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100 new Scotch plaid skirts, silk stripe, the very loveliest skirt shown this season, the regular price of these skirts is \$7.00. We bought the entire lot of samples and put them on sale at \$3.98.

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Finest lunch in the city.

## PERKINS GOES TO THE PEN.

J. W. Perkins, the man who was sentenced to the penitentiary for one year at the last term of the circuit court, today expressed a willingness to be sentenced, and was taken before Judge Husbands and sentenced being given one year in the penitentiary.

Perkins was a member of the celebrated Frank gang, and after being adjudged guilty and given one year, took an appeal. He has been in jail one year.

Deputy Sheriff Gus Rogers will take him to Eddyville in the morning.

## PERSONALS.

Miss Adine Morton has returned from Memphis.

Mr. E. Rehkopf has returned from Washington.

Mr. J. P. Buchanan, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Gus Talferro, of Kansas City, Mo., is at the Palmer.

Capt. Koger's family have gone to Hickman on a visit.

Mr. C. Thurman, of Crittenden Springs, is at the Palmer.

Miss Fannie Gould left at noon for Flint, Mich., on a visit.

Mr. Henry E. Thompson left last night for Memphis on a visit.

Mrs. Si Bryant left at noon for St. Louis on a visit to relatives.

Mr. John R. Smith, the big man of Evansville, is at the Palmer.

Mr. Alex Culp has gone South in the interest of Paducah Saddle Co.

Mr. Hal Corbett has returned from the west, after an absence of several days.

Miss Bessie Patterson returned this morning from a visit to Cincinnati.

Thomas Edwards and son, of Clarksville, Tenn., are at the Palmer.

Mr. J. S. Jackson went down to Mayfield this afternoon on a business trip.

Mrs. T. C. Ballard and granddaughter have returned from Hot Springs.

Supt. W. A. Holly, of the Water company, and his wife, have returned from New York.

Manager Chas. Taylor left this afternoon for Memphis, after a several days stay.

Mr. T. K. Simpson, the popular typewriter, is out after a three days illness at the Palmer.

Mrs. S. H. Winstead and children left this afternoon for Jackson, Tenn., on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gore, of South Tenth street, are parents of a girl, born last night.

Mr. Frank Parham and wife left this morning for Dawson, to be absent about two weeks.

Col. John Sinsott is home from a Southern tour in the interest of Thompson-Wilson & Co.

Mr. M. L. Teevin today took charge of the local agency of Standard Oil Co., as previously announced.

Mr. Wm. Arste, publisher of the Waterways Journal, arrived from St. Louis on his semi-annual visit to Paducah.

Mr. James Murphey, of the Palmer house bar, returned this morning from a trip to St. Louis, much improved in health.

Miss Edie Rapplee, of Rapplee's Landing, Livingston county who has been visiting in the city, returned home on the Butterfield this morning.

## COUSINS MARRY.

Came Over From St. Louis This Morning.

There was a marriage of cousins at the Cumberland Presbyterian parsonage this morning. Mr. Nicholas Herman and Miss Caroline Schaefer, of St. Louis, arrived this morning on the St. Louis train and were driven to the court house, where a license was procured.

The couple then went to the parsonage, and Rev. M. E. Chappell performed the ceremony. They spent the remainder of the time looking over the city, and returned home on the noon train. The groom is a carriage painter of the Future Great, and his bride is his cousin.

## CHURCH IMPROVEMENTS.

Work to Begin on the First Presbyterian Next Week.

Work will begin on the First Presbyterian church next Monday, repairing and decorating it in the most attractive and up-to-date style. The Sunday school room will receive attention and then the remainder of the building will be beautified.

## MOLASSES FACTORY.

The Jake Biederman Grocery company will in a day or two, probably tomorrow, start its new molasses factory on the North Side. The machinery is all in, and was given a trial this morning.

It is expected to begin the operation of the factory tomorrow. It is fully equipped and will be quite a big concern.

## A SUMMER TRIP.

Arrangements have been completed by members of the Y. M. C. A. for a summer excursion to Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, this summer. There are already a dozen or more who have signed to go, and will leave later.

The party leaves about July 11th.

## MECHANICSBURG ACCIDENT.

The little daughter of Mr. Bunk Etter, of the South Side, fell a day or two since and broke its left leg. James Dameron, an employee at the Seamon factory, was painfully hurt by a piece of flying timber.

## IN EIGHTEEN MINUTES.

Hon. John K. Hendrick today heard from Smithland, and learned that the four homing pigeons he released on the wharf here yesterday returned to Smithland eighteen minutes after he released them here.

They are splendid birds, and made what is considered good time. They were obtained in Louisville.

## LICENSED TO MARRY.

Henry Given and Emma Calhoun, colored, were licensed to marry today.

## SUSPECT ARRESTED.

He Was With a Thief at Biederman's Grocery Last Night.

Was Released by Judge Sanders. Other Cases in the Police Court This Morning.

Last night two negroes stopped in front of the Jake Biederman Grocery company's establishment, on South Seventh street. The younger one, a boy, went inside, stole several small articles and ran out the back way.

The negro out in front was arrested, and proved to be Wm. Marion, of Hopkinsville. He was taken to the city hall by Officer Gray. The thief was pursued to Eden's hill by Officer J. R. McClane, but escaped.

The man arrested claimed in court this morning that he did not know who the other man was, and was released and ordered to go back to Hopkinsville.

Gus Jackson, for drunkenness, was fined \$1 and costs.

Wm. Anderson, charged with depositing a defunct canine in an alley, was dismissed.

The warrant against Jim Webb, colored, charged with beating his wife was fled away, as Webb, who was yesterday released on his own recognizance, failed to show up. His \$25 recognizance was declared forfeited.

## ANOTHER BIG CROWD.

LeBelle Park Crowded Again Last Night.

LeBelle park was packed last night, and the audience was vastly pleased with the excellent performance given by the company. The people have found out that the management means business, and the shows it will give throughout the season will be up-to-date and strictly first class.

Last night the performance went smoother than the night before, and Messrs. Diamond the harpist, and Reynard, the ventriloquist, won new laurels, and the others received their share of the favors.

The street car facilities could not be better.

The indications are for a crowded house every night this week.

## WILL COME HERE.

Paducah Is to Get a Big Tennessee Dry Goods House.

It is practically settled that the Hayes & Foster Dry Goods Co., of Trenton, Tenn., is to come to Paducah. The proprietors have been in correspondence for some time relative to the removal, and now the firm has announced that it will be here about the latter part of the summer. It is already buying its goods for the Paducah house, and uses letter heads dated Paducah.

It will be one of the largest dry goods concerns in this part of the state. The company is now seeking a location, and may have an elegant building erected by local capitalists.

## MECHANICSBURG ROBBERY.

A Watch and Some Money Was Stolen.

The police have today been at work on a case of grand larceny, reported from Mechanicsburg.

A young man named Dunn and a companion roomed together, and while away some one stole a watch from one of them and about \$15 in money.

The police think they know who is guilty, but could not find him.

## BUSINESS CHANGES.

Col. Bud Dale will set supper at the New Richmond hotel tonight, having today assumed charge. The change in proprietorship was detailed in yesterday's paper.

## NAME TO BE CHANGED.

Second Kentucky Infantry Will Be Known as 178th K. V. I.

Camp Thomas, Chickamauga, Ga., June 1.—From present indications the originally Second Kentucky Volunteers will be lost in merging it into the regular army of the United States.

Lieutenant Collier, the regimental adjutant of the fighting Second, stated that he had been instructed to make preparations for a change of the regiment's name, which will probably be the 178th Regular Volunteer Regiment.

Here at camp General Brooke has so placed the various regiments as to have them arranged in brigades and divisions formation. According to this arrangement Kentucky troops will fight shoulder to shoulder with the Eighth, Ninth and Sixty-ninth New York, the Second Missouri and Second Wisconsin regiments.

## THE FOLLOWING DISPATCH WAS RECEIVED BY THE SCS TODAY:

"Company K is in excellent health and spirits; belong to the first battalion. Maj. Saffarans, Capt. Davis commanding. Privates all are ready to move. Joe Smith will go with us. The company is not yet equipped."

WILL H. FARLEY.

## BRYAN GOING TO WAR.

Lincoln, Neb., June 1.—W. J. Bryan yesterday received a message from Gov. Stephens of Missouri, offering him the colonelcy of a new Missouri regiment.

Mr. Bryan did not accept at once, but wired that he could not ask a better command than that composed of Missourians.

Mr. Bryan said privately that he still had hopes of commanding a Nebraska regiment. If by any deliberate act on the part of Washington officials he is deprived of this command he will then go to Missouri and lead that regiment.

"In any event," he added, "I propose to serve my country in spite of any injustice from official sources."

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## THE JONES INSTALLMENT COMPANY

THIRD AND COURT STREETS

## DOG DAYS.

They Got Here a Little Early This Season.

Today the city hall was a scene of unwonted activity. Mayor Lang did not show up until late, probably to avoid the rush.

Almost at sunrise the small boys began to straggle in with some helpless canine dangling at the end of a rope. As the morning advanced, they came in pairs and trios, and the smiling city marshal gave them a quarter for each "pup" and told them to bring in all they could find.

The shed near the police court room was soon filled with struggling, snarling dogs, and there was a rush in other quarters, also, for City Clerk Patterson was writing certificates as rapidly as he could. Up to the time Marshal Collins decided to begin war on the dogs, there had been licenses paid on only half a dozen or thereabout. This afternoon 150 or more licenses had been paid, and doubtless many more will be paid by tomorrow, and as soon as the owners of some of the dogs find out that their pets are in the pound.

Marshal Collins laughingly said this morning that the first thing he did was to send around to the homes of the city officials and councilmen. He found a dog at the house of each, and two at some, he alleged.

Judge Sanders here displayed a tag and tax receipt, and Prosecuting Attorney Wheeler Campbell declared he had paid his tax, but left the receipt at home.

In a day or two the dogs impounded and not called for will be drowned.

If your dog is missing, look for him at the city hall before it is too late.

Meanwhile Clerk Patterson will continue to rake in the shiekels and Marshal Collins to pay them out.

## BUILDING BICYCLES.

Wheels are easily built on paper or in the imagination; any repair shop can assemble the parts of wheels obtained from jobbers, and call it wheel building.

We construct a wheel to suit the customer, from the rough materials, brazing, enameling, nickel-plating and assembling the finished wheel.

Call and see how we do this.

## THE SOUTHERN

Crumbaugh & Parke,  
416 North Seventh St.

## STREET ROLLER IN.

This morning the street roller was repaired sufficiently to build a fire in it, and it was then run off Broadway and placed where it could not block up the principal streets. It will not be used again by the contractors for a few days, perhaps.

Yesterday afternoon three country men called on Mayor Lang, and one of them said:

"I seen that thar thing down thar a smokin', an' 'lowed you wanted some feller to run it; so I come up to git the job."

"What experience have you had?" the mayor inquired.

"Wal, I run a thrasher en-jine fur nigh on to three years," was the reply.

## GREAT ENGINEERING FEAT.

The east pier of the big bridge of the Northern Pacific railroad at Bismarck, N. D., weighing over 2,000,000 pounds, was moved from its

foundation Sunday morning and slid on rollers to a new foundation, a distance of nearly four feet. This is the first engineering feat of the kind ever accomplished.

The pier was 60 feet high, 25 feet wide and 12 feet in diameter, built of granite. The time occupied in moving the pier was less than a minute.

The engineers were assisted by a slide of earth, which slid the entire mass along the steel rollers provided for that purpose.

The work of preparing for the movement occupied over eight months. The moving of the pier was necessary for the fact that it was displaced by the sliding of earth beneath the foundation, and to correct the difficulty it was necessary to build a new foundation and move the pier back to the place from which it was moved.

The work was done entirely without interrupting traffic, and trains will run as usual.

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